



## **NOTICE OF RACE**

SAISA North Points #5

February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026 – The Florida Yacht Club  
5210 Yacht Club Rd, Jacksonville, FL 32210

HOST HIGH SCHOOL: Bishop Kenny High School & Episcopal School of Jacksonville

### **1. RULES**

This regatta will be governed by the current rules as defined in 2025-2028 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the ISSA Procedural Rules. In the event of a conflict between the governing ISSA documents and the Sailing Instructions (SIs), the SIs shall take preference. However, the US Sailing prescriptions to rules 60, 63.2 and 63.4 will not be in effect.

### **2. SCHEDULE OF RACES**

Saturday February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026

0800 Regatta check-in & Rigging

0845 Competitors Meeting

0930 First Gun

### **3. FORMAT**

This will be a two-division regatta. Teams will rotate boats per the boat rotation on tech score.

### **4. SCORING**

4.1 Races will be scored using the Low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A as modified by ISSA PR 9.

4.2 Ties will be resolved as outlined in ISSA PR 11(c).

4.2 Protest hearings, if any, may take place between races or during on shore postponements.

### **5. TROPHIES**

Prizes will be awarded as soon as possible after the last race sailed in the event.

### **6. ELIGIBILITY**

6.1 All 2025-2026 member schools of SAISA North are eligible. Any SAISA teams may participate depending upon boat availability. All teams must be members in good standing with SAISA.

6.2 Registration will be accepted first from North teams whose registration package is received by Tuesday February 3<sup>rd</sup>. Registration from other areas will then be considered. Registration is on a first paid/first allowed basis. Registration link:

<https://theclubspot.com/register/regatta/bBMx4eCT15/class>

6.3 Competitors must attend the school they represent full time or have a waiver granted by the President of SAISA, and must be in 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade, as the date of the Regatta.

6.4 An adult school representative/advisor is required to accompany each team and be responsible for its conduct on and off the water. The team representative, who may be an advisor, coach, or parent is expected to have full authority to obtain medical treatment for his team members.

### **7. FEES & REGISTRATION**

The entry fee shall be \$75 per team. Please email Nogay Dokmeci your intent to participate.

### **8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

8.1 Printed sailing instructions will not be available. They will be posted on tech score prior to the skippers meeting.

### **9. BOATS**

12 420's and sails will be provided to the first 12 teams who register. Additional teams must provide a boat and sail in similar condition and be approved by the regatta chair.

### **10. RACING AREA**

Racing will be on the St. Johns River just east of The Florida Yacht Club

## **11. DAMAGE**

A damage deposit of \$100.00 must be submitted with each entry. This is refundable if the boats and gear are returned undamaged. In the event damage cannot be attributed to a particular team, the repair costs will be divided evenly amongst all the competing teams. Damage caused by collisions that require more than normal maintenance is considered a serious incident. If the Regatta Chairman determines that reasonable care was not used and resulted in damage one or both boats may be disqualified regardless of any alternative penalties already taken. In extreme cases, either or both boats may be excluded from the rest of the regatta and held financially responsible for the damages.

## **12. Misc**

12.1 No outside food, beverage or coolers will be allowed on property unless at the sailing center or in the viewing area on the main docks. Water stations will be set up for sailors and spectators.

12.2 No tents will be allowed in the viewing area.

## **13. DIRECTIONS**

The Florida Yacht Club (5210 Yacht Club Rd, Jacksonville, FL 32210) is located just south of downtown Jacksonville. Northbound on I-95, exit south of Jacksonville to I-295. After crossing the St. Johns River, exit I-295 to U.S. 17 northbound for 4 ½ miles, turn right on Yacht Club Road to FYC.

Eastbound on I-10, exit south on McDuff Avenue to U.S. 17 South (about 6 blocks). Continue on U.S.17 (Roosevelt Blvd.) to Yacht Club Road. Turn left to the Club.

## **15. INFORMATION**

For additional information:

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## **16. ISSA RULE**

THE USE OR POSSESSION OF ILLEGAL DRUGS AND/OR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IS ABSOLUTELY PROHIBITED ON AND OFF THE WATER BY ANY COMPETITOR